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In re application of: Schwartzman, et al.

Attorney Docket No.: CISCPO92X1/1730

Application No.: 09/396,303

Examiner: TRAN, KHANH C

Filed: September 15, 1999

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
REDUCING NOISE LEAKAGE FROM A CABLE
MODEM

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

The Applicants' undersigned representative appreciates the Examiner's courtesy of the telephonic interview on August 27, 2002 and e-mail communications exchanged on August 26 and 27, 2002. In the communications, the Examiner indicated the allowability of independent claims 1 and 10, and a means plus function claim (claim 18 below) corresponding to claim 10; and requested minor modification of claim 10 to recite what was implicit, i.e., a control signal.

Thus, this response supplements the Response filed on June 26, 2002 in response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2002. Specifically, Applicants have amended claim 10, and added claim 18.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute the following clean claim 10 for the corresponding originally filed claim. A marked up version of the amended claim and all pending claims are presented in the Appendix below.

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